

SHAVING SYSTEM

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ABSTRACT OF THE INVENTION

10 *In accordance with one aspect of the invention, there is provided a shaving unit that comprises at least one blade and a skin engaging member that has a surface for engaging the user's skin adjacent the blade edge. The shaving unit may be of a disposable cartridge type adapted for coupling to and uncoupling from a razor handle or may be integral with a handle so that the complete razor is discarded as a unit when the blade or blades become dulled.*

15 *The blade edge (or edges) cooperate with skin engaging surfaces to define a shaving geometry. The skin engaging member is comprised of an elongated sheath made of a mixture of water insoluble matrix material and an effective amount of shaving aid material and a rigid core material extending axially through out said sheath. The axial position of the core need not be through the central axis.*

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